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(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number	PU040276
First Named Inventor	Jill MacDonald Boyce et al.
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Application Number	/
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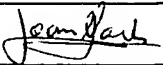


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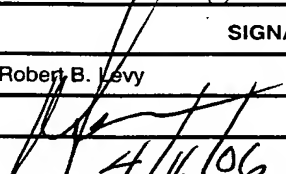
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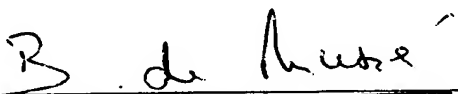
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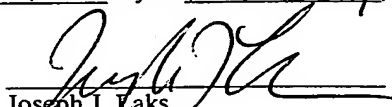
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